Substances	Limitations
Tris(2-methyl-4-hydroxy-5-tert-butylphenyl)butane (CAS Reg. No. 1843–03–4).	For use only:  1. At levels not to exceed 0.25 percent by weight of polymers used as provided in § 176.180 of this chapter.  2. At levels not to exceed 0.25 percent by weight of the following polymers when used in articles that contact food of Types I, II, IV-B, VI-B, VII-B, and VIII described in table 1 of § 176.170(c) of this chapter: Olefin polymers complying with § 177.1520(c) of this chapter; tems 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, or 4 or complying with other sections in parts 174, 175, 176, 177, 178 and § 179.45 of this chapter; vinyl chloride polymers; and/or vinyl chloride copolymers complying with § 177.1980 of this chapter.  3. At levels not to exceed 0.1 percent by weight of the following polymers when used in articles that contact food of Types III, IV-A, V, IV-A, VI-C, VII-A, and IX described in table 1 of § 176.170(c) of this chapter: Olefin polymers complying with § 177.1520(c) of this chapter: Hense: 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 3.1, 3.2, 3.3, or 4 or complying with other sections in parts 174, 175, 176, 177, 178 and § 179.45 of this chapter; whyl chloride polymers; and/or vinyl chloride copolymers complying with § 177.1980 of this chapter.  4. As provided in § 175.105 of this chapter.  5. At levels not to exceed 0.2 percent by weight of polystyrene and/or modified polystyrene polymers identified in § 177.1640 of this chapter.  6. At levels not to exceed 0.25 percent by weight of acrylonitrile-butadienestyrene copolymers used in contact with nonalcoholic foods.
Zinc dibutyldithiocarbamate (CAS Reg. No. 136–23–2).	7. At levels not to exceed 1 percent by weight of closure-sealing gasket compositions complying with § 177.1210(b) of this chapter.  For use only.  1. At levels not to exceed 0.2 percent by weight of isobutyleneisoprene copolymers complying with § 177.1420 of this chapter: Provided, That the finished copolymers contact food only of the types identified in § 176.170(c) of this chapter, table 1, under Types V, VII, VIII, and IX.  2. At levels not to exceed 0.02 percent by weight of polypropylene polymers complying with § 177.1520(c), item 1.1 of this chapter.
Zinc palmitate. Zinc salicylate	For use only in rigid polyvinyl chloride and/or in rigid vinyl chloride copolymers complying with §177.1980 of this chapter: <i>Provided</i> , That total salicylates (calculated as the acid) do not exceed 0.3 percent by weight of such polymers.
Zinc stearate.	

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## § 178.2550 4-Hydroxymethyl-2,6-di-tertbutylphenol.

4-Hydroxymethyl-2,6-di-tert-butyl-phenol may be safely used as an anti-oxidant in articles intended for use in contact with food, in accordance with the following prescribed conditions:

- (a) The additive has a solidification point of  $140^{\circ}-141$  °C.
- (b) The concentration of the additive and any other permitted antioxidants in the finished food-contact article does not exceed a total of 0.5 milligram per square inch of food-contact surface.

## § 178.2650 Organotin stabilizers in vinyl chloride plastics.

The organotin chemicals identified in paragraph (a) of this section may be safety used alone or in combination, at levels not to exceed a total of 3 parts per hundred of resin, as stabilizers in vinyl chloride homopolymers and copolymers complying with the provisions of §177.1950 or §177.1980 of this chapter and that are identified for use in contact with food of types I, II, III, IV (except liquid milk), V, VI (except malt beverages and carbonated nonalcoholic beverages), VII, VIII, and IX described in table 1 of §176.170(c) of this chapter, except for the organotin chemical identified in paragraph (a)(3)